Additional course-related information for UCT:

* UCT only allows you to take 4 classes.

* UCT kindly asks international students not to 'clog' up lower level classes.

* The 4 courses you indicate on your UCT applicationform serve 3 purposes:

- the department where you want to take your major course is THE department that in the end accepts you – the admissions office at UCT reroutes your application to them and they make the decision.

-if approved by the UCT department, you will be pre-registered in those courses. Changes can be made upon arrival.

- after you have been accepted at UCT, the International Office at UCT (IAPO) sends your non-major course wishes to the respective departments; IAPO will get back to you if there are any problems. For example: you do not have the pre-reqs for a course or they deem the course too difficult for you. Via the CIPA office, you will receive this feedback and then you will need to be on touch with the International Office at UCT.

* Classes named for example "History of South Africa" are likely to be geared towards international students and not have a lot of South African students. You choose.

* It may be interesting to take a course that examines world or even US history at UCT – you will be surprised how different the perspectives and interpretation can be. And there will be many South African and African students in there. And you will be a valuable resource to them.

* Yes, you may be able to find classes that fulfill GERs – but caution: if you find one, get the syllabus to the respective Advisor in the department at Emory and obtain the Emory equivalent – do not go by your own instincts. Also: remember that it may not be taught – so remain flexible and don't make taking one or 2 GERs a MUST for your semester.

* Students tend to come back with approximately the same grades as they make at Emory. Occasionally they are a bit lower.